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CRAWFORD-GRAND CRAWFORD, Manager One Night Only, Westernday, July 16. Grand repreduction in this city of Kackstone's bear titul remainful drama in 5 acrs, entitled

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Balloon ascension and jump from the Massacuera off the Chilian coast. clouds, this evening at show grounds, cor-ber First and Fourth avenue. Uncle to Valparaiso on a spree against the cap-trom's Cabin, in mainmoth pavilion, at 8 thin's advice. He then gave them money

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Great Cost Sale of Gents' Neckwear.

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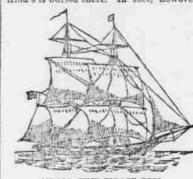
At prices to close out the entire lot. See how crowded our furnishing dep't will be.

Millions of Money Secreted by Old Time Freebooters.

HE STORY OF CAPT. BENITO.

Slittering Tales of Buried Gold and Gems. The Unsuccessful Expedition to Cocos Island-Where Bobert Louis Stevenson Got His Inspiration.

[Copyright by American Press Association.] Brief Items float about the newspapers now and then referring to "Cocos island," but very few people know that "It is said" that a treasure far greater than Captain Kidd's is buried there. In fact, however,



AN OLD TIME PIRATE BRIG. the ordinary sensation novel of the Monta Cristo order is quite cast in the shade by the simple, straightforward narrative that has led men to fit out many a vessel on the search for immense piratical hourds be-lieved to exist at two places far apart from each other. There has lately been a re-newed interest in what the skeptical term the "Great West Indian and Manila Gal-leon Myth," and it is a good time to put the traditions in coherent and reasonable

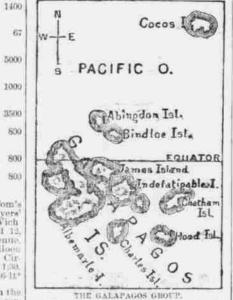
To begin with, the entire story of the 'buried treasure on Cocos island," one of the Galapagos group, is one of the most curious in the literature of piracy and plunder. More than a dozen expeditions to recover it have been fitted out at various times from San Francisco, and all have proved fruitless, including the one pro-jected a few weeks ago by seven or eight California ranchers from Gilroy.

The only complete history of the treas-

ure is contained in a now rare pamphlet written, it is said, by W. J. Woodly, and published in San Francisco. It sets forth the affair at great length, and with full faith in the veracity of its witnesses.

The story begins "along the Spanish main," about '1818 and 1820, when the piratical brig Relampago, "carrying eight carronades and a long swivel gun," and a erew of 142 men, captured an English mer-chantman and killed all on board excepting two sulfers, Thompson and Chappell, who were forced to join them and take their oath. After this the pirate contin-ued to cruise about the West Indies, capturing many vessels and accumulating vast treasures, amounting in all to about the value of ten million pounds sterling. They sheltered themselves at "a small island of triangular shape, having a small harbor which completely hid them from passing vessels." On this island they had innumerable "sprees," or, in the phrase of the times, "carousals."

When war was declared between England and Spain (about 1822, the old pamphlet says, and I have no reference book by me) "British men-of-war began to be more abundant in West Indian waters,"



and the pirate Capt. Benito found only well armed cruisers instead of rich Spanish galleons. He therefore buried treas-ures "of the value of nine million pounds Go to Heltinger's drug store and try their ice cream sods at 5 cents a glass.

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Horn to the Pacific To all real estate areats, that all my property is this day called off the market.

W. H. Scorr.

Notice
million peunds sterling in gold. In the Straits of Magellan the captain had six months' provisions cached on a small island. They then sailed to the Island of Here mineteen of the pirates desired to go

and a boat, and left thom at night off the Cars leave Douglas avenue and Main street for Burton car works every forty three days;" but he immediately crowded minutes commencing at 6:20 a. m. All cars leaving on odd hours run through, coast, being gladly rid of these troublealso cars leaving twenty minutes before nod twenty minutes after the even hour. For Fairview and Seventeenth street cars leave First and Main at fifteen and forty five minutes past each hour. Leave five minutes past each hour. Leave Seventeenth and Febreicew at fifteen and forty-live minutes after each hour. 31 t sent in irons to England, and all but one, who turned king a cylifence in the matter of the treasure, were executed. Meanwhile the Reinspage had captured

a rich gaileon off (impraud), and had chosen a new deput on Coops Island, 4 dors, 83 min. north of the equator and 400 miles from Panama. The island is about four miles icross, reaky and well watered. They buried much church plate, jewels and gold on the beach "near a communit grove," chisching marks on a high rock 500 feet east of the deposit. They then bore off for Acaputes. The Mexican revolution had meanwhile broken out, and the stately old Spanisa vicesoy fied from the City of Mexco to Acapulco, where two of the great Manila treasure ships were lying. The viceroy and the governor of Acapulco, with all the state treasure they could gather up. and many wealthy Spaniards also carrying their treasures, went on board. Both these galleous were exptured by the Rolampago. but the smaller one, containing according to ber bills of laking \$8,000,000 of silver, and gold and jewels to the value of \$27,000,000. each before the treasure could be ramoved. The other and larger galleon, containing still greater treasures, was saved, and the whole transferred to the pirate, which then

sailed to Cocos. The first deposit has been spoken of. A second was now made on the northeast end of the island. Here they buried "It's tons of silver dollars" with all possible precaution. In another spot they placed "270 gold hilted and jeweled swords," and in a third excavation about \$15,00,000 worth of the story that he was the inconducty. On the following day he went before a justice of the story that he was the inconducty. On the following day he went before a justice of the story that he was the inconducty. On the following day he went before a justice of the control of the story that he was the inconducty. gold bricks. The captain himself buried a in the county jall, and in December was large number of emeralds, diamonds, convicted. When the court sentenced him

pigeon egg," the value of which "no one his persecutors in Ferry county."

This story reached the chrs of the young

The usual succession of quarrels fol-lowed. The capasin's own plan was to return to their "triangular island" in the West Indies, get the "nine million pounds sterling" there buried, and bring it to Cocos. Then, he said, they would make a fair division, sail to some convenient place, disbard, sink the brig, and "each man should go where he pleased." In a fight some thirty-four pirates were killed and seventeen injured. About a hundred pirates remaining salled for the West Indies to carry out the captain's plans. But meanwhile the British frigate Magi-

ne, sent out with the one survivor of the nineteen pirates captured by the Challenger the year before, had been hunting up "the triangular island," had found it and secured some of the treasure. The Relampago, short handed and badly off for ammunition, sailed into the hidden bay and came up against the guns of the Magi-ciene. Most of the pirates were captured alive, the captain blowing out his own brains when he saw that resistance was useless, and eighty-one were tried, con-demned and hanged to the yardarm in Kingston harbor, Jamaica. The two En-glish sailors, Chappell and Thempson, were released from the Kingston prison at night by some unknown person, who stated that he was under great obligations to rel-



matter, told the owner of a tugboat, who interested some rich Englishmen. They chartered a small vessel and sent Chappell with it. Sailing from Panama and encountering storms the vessel ran into the Gulf of Dulce, was grounded on a rock Wichita, Kansas.

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46-tf F. E. BLECKLEY, P. & T. A. yellow fever. All Chappell's memoranda and the map of Cocos then fell into the hands of a Californian speculator, who organized the first expedition known to have visited the island.

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There have been many stories in print concerning other "confessions" of one or another of the eighty-one pirates who died in Kingston harbor. They all come from the talk of an English marine, John Miles, who understood Portuguese and Spanish, and heard some of the condemned men talk to each other during the few days before the execution. After sifting all these stories and comparing them the sum total appears to be that, in the words of the king of Brobdingung to Gulliver, the pirates

king of Brobdingnagto Guliiver, the pirates were "as pestilent a set of vermin as ever went unhanged." Nevertheless they believed in the Cocos treasure story; their talk ran continually on that and on certain private caches of their own.

More of the stories from this pamphlet might be told, but the main thread of the narrative has been followed. The rest is but the incidental—the dim background of slave vevages to the Guinea coast, the early adventures of Capt. Benito, the pirate, the way in which the Relampago first became the "terrer of the Spanish seas," and the total inability of the actors in this tragedy to comprehend the evil of their



THE CAPTAIN BLEW OUT HIS BRAINS own lives. Indeed the whole "confession of the condenied pirates," taken down from the recollection of Miles the marine, is a remarkable document, whether viewed as a "plain statement of the facis as heard by him," or merely as a piece of literary invention. The flavor of truth is in it. I know of no one who would enjoy it better than Robert Louis Stavenson, and I cannot disabuse myself of the suspicion that he knew all about this Cocos island narrative before he wrote his altogester aumirable "Treasure Island" story.

CHARLES HOWARD SHINK.

Postish Act of a Young Lever. In the spring of 1899 a young Irishman named Herman Fitzgerald, who had arrived in America a few months before, made his way into Perry county, Pa., and obtained employment with a farmer. He was industrious and got along well. As the autumn came on the young man fell in love with the sister of his employer. Their mutual attachment was observed by Fitz-gerald's friends, and they guyed blm unmercifully about history affair. Parience coased to be a wirtne, and he became in-

colved in a quarrel with two of his tor-mentors, who thrashed him. He felt the

egrace of his defeat and left the place, oping to forget all about his troubles. He stopped at a farmhouse in Juniata sunty, twenty miles away, and remained here over night, giving the name of Nich-

Thompson, the authorities for the whole matter, as surpassing \$30,000,000. There ever of the crime, and that his motive in was also a crown of rold studded with telling the story was that he wanted to go diamonds, the largest stone "as large as a to jail about hit might in order to escape

fellow's friends, and steps were immediately taken to procure his release. As his first "confession" had been doubted on the trial, not only by the court but by the district attorney and the jury, they all united in a plac to the board of pardons in his behalf. The application was argued before the board and the case was held under advisoment, the probabilities being that he would be pardoned at the next sitting. In the interval a telegram reached the board that the unfortunate young man had died in the pentientiary of typhoid fever .-- Chicago Times.

An Insinuendo. "Where do you get your cigars, Brom-

ley!"
"Why do you want to know that!
You've always blackguarded them so."
"I want to know because my wife objects to tobacco smoke, and I've got to smoke something."—New York Sun.

A Rise in the World.

She-Hallo, Billy. He-Excuse me, Mariar Smith, there wuz a time when you could a called me by those title an' yer didn't. I wuz pore then, an' yer coldness chilled me to ther heart. Now I am able to drive my span, yer think yer kin smooth ther past over; but I tell yer, Mariar Smith, it can't be did. It's too Intel-Life.

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Commencing Sunday, July 13, 1890, the
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Genesco and from thence to Pueblo, Colo
rado Springs and Denver. This change
was made on account of a great many peoconcealing the treasure.

atives of theirs. They shipped on board a whaler, and agreed to stick by each other and if possible to return to Cocos island for the treasure.

Years passed; they remained two common sailors "before the mast." At last in 1842 they separated, and in 1844 Thompson, hearing that Chappell was dead, and being himself dying at St. Johns, N. F., made a confession and drew a map from memory which he gave to the Caten family, poor fishermen who were caring for him. In 1846 Chappell heard that Thompson was dead, and, determining to move in the matter, told the owner of a tugboat, who interested some rich Englishmen. They chartered a small vessel and sear (the real family people with the fines are rively formers) in the west. Don't the west. Don't City ticket office, 137 North Main street,

If you have friends in the west.

If you have friends in the east who contemplate coming west, or if you are going east, remember you can save time and money, likewise your friends, by buying tickets over the Missouri Pacific railway, tickets over the Missouri Pacific railway, the shortest line between St. Louis and Wiehita by 48 miles and over. Two hours the quickest time. This is the only line giving you choice of two routes, either via Kansas City or Fort Scott. Elegant free reclining chair cars between Wichita and St. Louis, also between Kansas City and Wiehita, without change of cars. Pullman sleepers on all trains. Be sure that your tickets read via the Missouri Pacific Library and your tickets read via the Missouri Pacific railway and thus save amneyance of changing cars and unnecessary delays.

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A Fable. Once upon a time the Queen of all the Once upon a time the Queen of all the "Tlours," whose name was Imperial, gave a funcheon to her subjects. When all were scated at the banquet table some of the 'low grades' became envious of the queen's charms and popularity and cried out "We are as axed as Imperial." The royal court messenger, Prince Tally-Ho, arrived at that moment in his coach and proclaimed the verriest of the people: "Imperial is supreme. Leant live Imperial."

Then the low bread role's made rye faces and said 'Our cake is dough, we kneed no more. Long live imperial."

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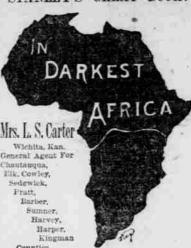
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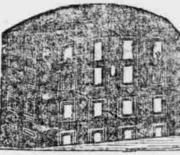
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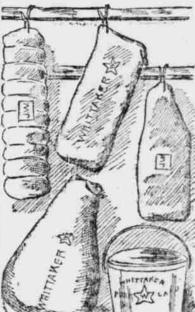


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